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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

P. W. Clement will have the moral support of a very large majority in his attempt to replace the lid in Rutland city.

A good rule for non-resident deer-hunters to follow: First catch your deer, then measure his horns and if the horns measure up to the three-inch standard, shoot him. The rule is a safe one to follow.

The granite pavement between the rails of the Barre & Montpelier Traction company's track on lower Main street only emphasizes the sadly demoralized condition of that thoroughfare. Would that the whole might have been treated the same!

The committee on temperance and the whole legislature will have a job cut out for them if the Vermont Supreme Court declares tomorrow that the present law regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors is not according to the constitution. A decision one way or the other may reasonably be expected as the court has had one case touching the constitutionality of the law for about a year.

There are two or three bills providing for the publication of notices in newspapers before this session, that should pass. The average man is too busy these days to send around and have somebody's barn door brought to him that he may read the notices tacked thereon.—Vermont Union Signal.

Unfortunately, however, the average Vermont legislator has not yet reached the position where he realizes the advantages of newspaper advertising of public notices over the primitive method of tacking them up on a convenient fence corner. The legislature has already laid one of these bills peacefully away.

HAS THE AUTO COME TO STAY?

The present-day discussion in Vermont about the automobile and its restrictions really centers very largely about the question "Has the automobile come to stay?" The position one takes depends to a great extent upon his own private opinion as to the answer to this question, for were it satisfactorily settled in the minds of all, one way or the other, there would now be little talk about ruling the automobile off the highways of the state or restricting its use on those highways to certain periods of the day or night. Few people there are—even in Vermont—who would care to place themselves in the path of progress and declare "We will have nothing to do with the machine and furthermore will allow no one else to use it." The farmers who are now crying out most vehemently against the automobile and its use would not have the hardihood to obstruct themselves in the course of the inevitable if they thought that the motor vehicles were really here to stay. Such an obstruction would be the rankest foolishness. But the people in the rural districts—many of them, at least—believe that the motor vehicle is destined to see its day and then pass into disuse. For that reason they are unwilling to surrender now one whit of what they consider to be their rights on the public highways.

In the light of that condition—if the automobile and all the kindred motor vehicles are but a passing fancy to be discussed whenever it pleases—then those people in Vermont who are now clamoring loudly for the barring of them from the highway, have some justification. But the Times believes that the motor vehicle for both business and pleasure purposes, is a fixture and, as such, it must be accorded recognition. Not so very long ago the same clamor, raised against the automobile was heard in condemnation of the bicycle. But the bicycle has become so common that it has long since ceased to be an object for the outpouring of wrath. The horses which are now afraid of the automobile were then frightened by the bicycle. But, as some one has said, they have become "acclimated" to the bicycle, as they will become to the automobile in a short time. Then the whole cause for the present outcry against the machine will have vanished.

Against the encroachment of the trolley car, too, a great cry was raised a few years ago and it was declared that

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Yes, after November 4th some of us are going to be so busy explaining how it happened. In the meantime, if your wearing apparel is damaged by any of the "arguments" here's the place to redress your grievances. \$12.00 buys a long Overcoat that will cover a multitude of tears.

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the trolley would do irreparable damage. It did not take the trolley car long to vindicate itself, and in a similar manner it will not take the automobile a great while to vindicate its usefulness and its right to the highways of Vermont. Instead of attempting to crowd it off the public thoroughfares let us take the more sane course and surround it with such restrictions as will prevent the abuses of which complaint is quite often justly made. The automobile is here to stay and the sooner the people of Vermont recognize and admit that fact the sooner will a satisfactory restriction be placed about its use.

CURRENT COMMENT.

What the Press of the State and Country Is Talking About.

The battle of Yental (Shakke) will be notable among the world's great combats for the number of troops engaged, and probably for the loss of life. It will not rank as a decisive battle—again it is to be noted that peculiarity, that fatality, in the Japanese character which seems to forbid their carrying an achievement forward to full completeness. They have won on land and sea every battle of the war; they are superior at every point, but they do not win the great battle which would end the war.—Philadelphia Ledger.

In Massachusetts Eugene N. Foss, a former St. Albans boy and a Republican, is making a stubborn fight for election to Congress against the Democrat now in the seat representing his district. Foss is an advocate of reciprocity with Canada. Now watch the use the Democrats will make of that resolution against reciprocity with Canada passed by the Vermont house of representatives yesterday. Watch them hold out to the voters that even old Vermont herself, the mother state of Mr. Foss, has repudiated his doctrines and will have nothing of them. This resolution is merely machine-made campaign thunder. The representatives of the people of Vermont were sent to Montpelier to make local laws, not to dabble in national politics. The great question underneath this resolution has not been canvassed by the people of Vermont and their representatives are not only instructed by them in regard to it but they were not even commissioned to represent them upon it. The senate has wisely held up the resolution, and, in the opinion of The Messenger, regardless of its merits and as a matter of principle, pure and simple, it should not pass.—St. Albans Messenger.

Combating Pneumonia.

The eight expert bacteriologists, Dr. Frank S. Billings of this city being one of them, who compose the commission which is to study pneumonia and endeavor to find some way of checking the alarming spread of that disease, meet at the invitation of the New York department of health, which has set aside \$10,000 to pay the cost of the investigation. But whatever discoveries of value may be made will become the common property of the world and the death rate will fall everywhere.

Considerable is already known about the disease to be studied. All or nearly all cases are due to a specific microbe which does not multiply outside of the human body. It has been learned that the microbe can be transferred from the sick to the healthy, so that pneumonia may be called an infectious disease. Those suffering from it should not be admitted to the wards of a hospital where there are patients who have other ailments.

It has been discovered also that the pneumonia germs may find a home in the respiratory tract of a healthy person and be quite harmless until their activity has been awakened by that person's being exposed to severe cold, going on a spree, or being much fatigued. The germs multiply as the power of the patient to resist is decreased.

All this the doctors know, and yet they lose over 20 per cent of their cases. They have not found an anti-pneumonic serum. The commission will begin by trying to find how widely the dangerous microbe—the pneumo-coccus—is distributed, how commonly it is present in the normal body and in the sick. It will endeavor to ascertain the different kinds of infection, so that danger may be better guarded against from that source.

There are methods of prevention which have been made public. The Chicago health department has given excellent

advice to people about taking care of themselves. But many will disregard good advice and others never will hear of it. The ravages of pneumonia may not be stayed until some better mode of treating the disease than any now known shall be found.

It is greatly to be hoped that the researches of the pneumonia commission will lead directly to something of that kind.—Chicago Tribune.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS.

Opening and 1:30 Selling Prices on New York Exchange.

Quotations on the New York Stock Exchange as reported by C. H. Gilliland & Co., Courier block, this city.

Opp. 1:30 p.m.	
Amal. Cop.	66 1/2 67 1/2
Sugar	136 1/2 137
Atch. Com.	86 1/2 86 1/2
Balt. & Ohio	94 1/2 94 1/2
Brooklyn R. T.	67 1/2 68 1/2
St. Paul	174 1/2 175 1/2
Col. Fuel	40 1/2 41 1/2
Del. & Hud.	178 1/2 179 1/2
Erie	38 1/2 39 1/2
Lon. & Nash.	135 1/2 136 1/2
Metropolitan	127 1/2 128 1/2
Manhattan	163 1/2 164 1/2
Mo. Pac.	104 1/2 105 1/2
Kan. & Tex. Com.	31 1/2 32 1/2
Kan. & Tex. Pfd.	58 1/2 59 1/2
N. Y. Cen.	134 1/2 135 1/2
Ont. & West.	42 1/2 43 1/2
Penna.	137 1/2 138 1/2
Reading	76 1/2 77 1/2
Rock Island	36 1/2 37 1/2
So. Pac.	61 1/2 62 1/2
Tenn. C. & L.	57 1/2 58 1/2
Un. Pac.	106 1/2 107 1/2
U. S. Steel Com.	21 1/2 22 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	81 1/2 82 1/2
Wabash	21 1/2 22 1/2
Wabash Pfd.	44 1/2 45 1/2

JINGLES AND JESTS.

A Sad Serial.
The hard luck man you'll always see
By something sorely vexed.
His story always ends "To be continued in our next."
—Washington Star.

The Limit.
"Greedy fellow, isn't he?"
"Greedy! Say, if he were a duck he wouldn't refuse an umbrella."—New York Press.

Not Much.
No doubt you know a thing or two.
And know I say the book.
But when it comes to stirring things
Up—can you beat the cook?
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Should Be Grateful.
"Yes, sir, Charley says Miss DeWitt made a perfect monkey out of him."
"Has he thanked her yet for the improvement she brought about?"
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Festive Bummer.
He never gets a job to do.
But doesn't seem to mind it.
He spends his time in hunting work
And hoping he won't find it.
—Chicago Record-Herald.

Which He Was Not.
Chumpley (glomily)—What makes you think there is hope for me?
Miss Kidder—She told me she would not marry the best man living.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The November Christmas.
You can't help kind o' wishin' dat de time would hurry round.
When gits is on de Christmas tree an' snow is on de ground.
But dey've fixed up an arrangement dat will help de time to pass.
Until de sleighbells ring an' 'trot' is sil-verin' de grass.
Dar ain' no 'cause foh digitin' impatient-ly, because
A candidate is mighty nigh as good as Santa Claus.
He'll use a hoss an' buggy 'stead o' ridin' in a sleigh.
But dar ain' much need o' Christmas when you's got election day.

It sho'ly is mos' comfortin' an' cheerfu' foh to find
So many folks in such a very generous frame o' mind.
Dey keeps a-axin' 'bout yuh health an' says, "How well yuh look!"
An' sometimes even takes an interest in yuh pocketbook.
De hand is sweetly playin' an' de people say 'chir' by
Is almost like a circus, it's dat plessin' to de eye.
De wind is tempered to de bimb, dea' like de good book say—
Dar ain' much need o' Christmas when you's got election day.
—Washington Star.

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Over one hundred dozen, comprising the largest and finest collection of novelties in Ladies' Neckwear. Those who have visited the large city stores will be convinced that this is the finest collection ever shown in any retail store. This collection is made up of our own exclusive styles, most of them MADE IN OUR OWN FACTORY. Never before in this locality has a sale been attempted on such a large, liberal scale. Values are great, price reductions are positive and substantial. The stock will astonish you by its size and its wide range of variety. We can only mention a few of the many styles.

Silk Stocks, embroidered with beads, opening sale.....	25c
Fine Silk Stocks, trimmed with ruching and beads, opening sale.....	39c
Fine Brocade Stocks, bow tabs, opening sale.....	25c
Velvet Stocks with white trimming, opening sale.....	25c
Fine Silk Embroidery Collars in all colors, opening sale.....	25c
Silk Stocks and Collars made in all shapes, novelty trimmed, opening sale.....	25c
Fancy Chiffon Collars, lace trimmed.....	50c
Silk Collars with silk medallion tabs, opening sale.....	75c

Also Bows, String Ties and Turnover Collars in white, black and every color made. The above assortment is much below regular price—some of them half the regular price—as these goods come direct from our factory to this counter.

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Lace Collars, Lace Stocks and Lace Cape Collars. THESE ARE IMPORTED GOODS and exclusive styles. Many of them can only be found here. Some of them at less than half price—15c, 25c, 50c, 75c up to \$5.00 each.

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Foundation Collars with novelty trimming, opening sale.....	50c
Foundation Collars, Parisian effects, opening sale.....	50c
Foundation Collars, trimmed with beads, lace and velvet, opening sale.....	75c

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